



"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING
GROUP 2881"

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
YOSHIHIKO FUNAKOSHI, ET AL. : EXAMINER: VANORE, DAVID A.
SERIAL NO: 09/926,811 :
FILED: JULY 1, 2002 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2881
FOR: RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCE :
CONTAINER, MANUFACTURING
APPARATUS THEREOF AND
MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated August 9, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.